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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

For: Performing Predictive Maintenance on Equipment

Group Art Unit No.: 2125

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The Declarations enclosed herewith include several addresses for the inventors. The correct current addresses for the inventors appear below their signatures. For the convenience of the Examiner, we have listed below the current post office address for each inventor:

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Attorney's Case No.: 10022/28

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
Michael Wetzer)	Examiner: Michael D. Masinick
Serial No.: 09/825,633)	Group Art Unit No.: 2125
Filing Date: April 3, 2001)	
For: Performing Predictive Maintenance on)	
Equipment)	

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**ASSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO CORRECTION
AND/OR ADDITION OF INVENTORS**

1. Assignee Name and Address: Accenture LLP
1661 Page Mill Road
Palo Alto, California 94304

2. Assignment:

Recorded on September 10, 2002


Reel 013271

Frames 0289-0291

Attorney Case No. 10022/28

3. Assignee hereby assents to the correction of inventorship filed herewith.
4. A "Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)" is attached.
5. The person signing this document is authorized to act on behalf of the Assignee.

Respectfully submitted,



Wayne F. Sobon
Assistant Secretary and Director of
Intellectual Property for Accenture LLP

PATENT APPLICATION STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)Inventor(s): Michael Wetzer et al.Serial No.: 9/825,633 Case No.: 10022/28 Filing Date: April 3, 2001Title: Performing Predictive Maintenance on EquipmentAssignee: Accenture LLP, a Limited Liability Partnership

Accenture LLP is:

1. ☒ the assignee of the entire right, title and interest; or
2. ☐ a co-assignee of an entire and undivided interest;

In the patent application identified above by virtue of either:

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OR

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The undersigned is authorized to sign this Statement on behalf of Accenture LLP.

For Assignee Accenture LLP

Date 1-10-03
SignatureWayne P. Sobon
Typed or Printed NameAssistant Secretary and Director of Intellectual Property
Title

Attorney Docket No.: 10022/28

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Patrick E. Weir, residing at 44 Midcrest Way, San Francisco, California 94131, hereinafter called the "Assignor," made with others the invention(s) described in the United States patent application entitled **PERFORMING PREDICTIVE MAINTENANCE ON EQUIPMENT**, which was filed on April 3, 2001, which bears Serial No. 09/825,633;

WHEREAS, Accenture LLP, a limited liability partnership, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Illinois, having a place of business at 1661 Page Mill Road, Palo Alto, California 94304, hereinafter called the "Assignee," desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention(s), said application for Letters Patent identified above, all corresponding patent applications, and in and to any Letters Patent or Patents obtained therefore or thereon in the United States or in any other country;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good, valuable and legally sufficient consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by the Assignor, said Assignor has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and as demonstrated by this Assignment does sell, assign, transfer and set over unto said Assignee, the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-mentioned inventions, applications for Letters Patent, and any and all Letters Patent or Patents in the United States of America and all foreign countries which may be granted therefor or thereon, and in and to any and all divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part of any such application, or reissues, reexaminations, renewals and extensions of said Letters Patent or Patents; and the full right to claim for any such applications all benefits and priority rights under any applicable convention, treaty or legislation, and the right to sue and obtain relief, including damages, profits and an injunction, for any infringement occurring before or after issuance of said Letters Patent or Patents; the same to be held and enjoyed for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of the Assignee, its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which Letters Patent or Patents may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the Assignor had this Assignment not been made.

For the above-recited consideration, the Assignor hereby covenants, warrants and agrees that, at the time of execution and delivery of this Assignment, (s)he is a lawful owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and the application for Letters Patent above-mentioned, and that the same are unencumbered and that the Assignor has good and full right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner herein set forth.


For the above-recited consideration, the Assignor hereby covenants and agrees to execute and deliver to the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives or assigns, all papers and documents that may be required to carry out the terms of this Assignment, and take all lawful oaths, provide testimony, and do all lawful acts necessary or required to be done to reasonably assist said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives or assigns in any interference, litigation or other proceeding in any country concerning or in connection with any inventions, patent applications, Letters Patent or Patents assigned hereunder; or for the prosecution, procurement, maintenance, enforcement and defense of Letters Patent or Patents for said inventions and patent applications, or to carry out the terms of this Assignment, or vest in the Assignee, its successors and assigns, exclusive title in and to all inventions, patent applications, Letters Patent or Patents assigned hereunder, without further compensation from said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives or assigns, except for reasonable costs and expenses of the Assignor incident to such assistance and approved in writing by said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives or assigns before any such costs or expenses are incurred.

Attorney Docket No.: 10022/28

Said Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent or Patents of the United States to the Assignee, in accordance with the terms of this Assignment, and for the sole use of said Assignee, its successors and assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Assignor has executed this Assignment.

JAN 22, 2003
Date


Patrick E. Weir

STATE OF)
) ss
COUNTY OF)

I, _____ a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that **Patrick E. Weir**, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that (s)he signed and delivered said instrument as his/her free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.


IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this _____ day of _____, 200_____.

Notary Public

(SEAL)

My Commission Expires:

WITNESSED BY: Aaron D. Butler AARON D. BUTLER 1/22/03

 KEVIN PENDERGUEZ
1/22/03

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Gary R. Garrow, residing at 810 East Harvard, Burbank, California 91501, hereinafter called the "Assignor," made with others the invention(s) described in the United States patent application entitled **PERFORMING PREDICTIVE MAINTENANCE ON EQUIPMENT**, which was filed on April 3, 2001, which bears Serial No. 09/825,633;

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NOW, THEREFORE, for good, valuable and legally sufficient consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by the Assignor, said Assignor has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and as demonstrated by this Assignment does sell, assign, transfer and set over unto said Assignee, the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-mentioned inventions, applications for Letters Patent, and any and all Letters Patent or Patents in the United States of America and all foreign countries which may be granted therefor or thereon, and in and to any and all divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part of any such application, or reissues, reexaminations, renewals and extensions of said Letters Patent or Patents; and the full right to claim for any such applications all benefits and priority rights under any applicable convention, treaty or legislation, and the right to sue and obtain relief, including damages, profits and an injunction, for any infringement occurring before or after issuance of said Letters Patent or Patents; the same to be held and enjoyed for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of the Assignee, its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which Letters Patent or Patents may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the Assignor had this Assignment not been made.

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For the above-recited consideration, the Assignor hereby covenants and agrees to execute and deliver to the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives or assigns, all papers and documents that may be required to carry out the terms of this Assignment, and take all lawful oaths, provide testimony, and do all lawful acts necessary or required to be done to reasonably assist said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives or assigns in any interference, litigation or other proceeding in any country concerning or in connection with any inventions, patent applications, Letters Patent or Patents assigned hereunder; or for the prosecution, procurement, maintenance, enforcement and defense of Letters Patent or Patents for said inventions and patent applications, or to carry out the terms of this Assignment, or vest in the Assignee, its successors and assigns, exclusive title in and to all inventions, patent applications, Letters Patent or Patents assigned hereunder, without further compensation from said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives or assigns, except for reasonable costs and expenses of the Assignor incident to such assistance and approved in writing by said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives or assigns before any such costs or expenses are incurred.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Assignor has executed this Assignment.

JAN 17, 2003
Date

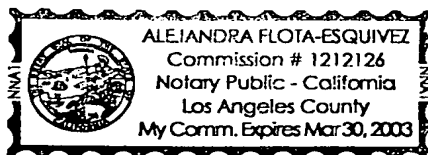
Gary R. Garrow
Gary R. Garrow

STATE OF)
COUNTY OF) ss
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I, Alejandra Flota-Esquivel a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Gary R. Garrow, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that ~~she~~ signed and delivered said instrument as ~~his~~ her free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 17th day of January, 2003.

(SEAL)



Alejandra Flota-Esquivel
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 3/30/03

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Charles P. Newton, III, residing at 1279 Crooked Stick Drive, Rock Hill, South Carolina 29730, hereinafter called the "Assignor," made with others the invention(s) described in the United States patent application entitled **PERFORMING PREDICTIVE MAINTENANCE ON EQUIPMENT**, which was filed on April 3, 2001, which bears Serial No. 09/825,633;

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Assignor has executed this Assignment.

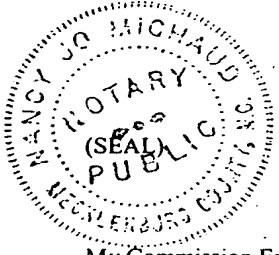
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Date

Charles P. Newton, III
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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA)
) ss
COUNTY OF Mecklenburg)

I, Nancy Jo Michaud a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Charles P. Newton, III, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that (s)he signed and delivered said instrument as his/her free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 21 day of JANUARY, 2003.



Nancy Jo Michaud
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: My Commission Expires February 28, 2005